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48 REINDEER ARRIVED SATURDAY

PLACED ON RANCH NORTH OF CITY. GETTING ALONG WELL.

Michigan's fine herd of reindeer, recently purchased from Norway by the State department of Conservation, arrived in Grayling last week Saturday. The original herd had 60 animals, six of them dying and another six were loaned to Belle Isle, Detroit for exhibition purposes, but it is expected that the latter will soon arrive to join the larger herd.

The animals were taken to the Rasmus Hanson ranch north of the city. This contains about 2,500 acres and is fenced. The animals appear contented with their new home and are finding plenty of food to their taste. Certain muskeg upon which the reindeer seem to thrive in Norway, are found in abundance at the ranch, and other places throughout the county.

These animals are domesticated. When they arrived here they appeared to be none the worse off for their railroad trip, which was from the State game farm at Mason, where they had been for a few weeks. Each animal was in a crate by himself. When they were taken out of the crates at the ranch, they first looked around and finally moved off in a body to the higher ground and began feeding. They are about the size of a young deer, are very handsome and have very large cloven feet. There are ten males in the lot, all of which had lost their antlers and a number had good starts on new ones. Each year these antlers grow to an enormous size and in the early spring they drop off, close to the head, and then begin all over again to grow a new set. They are a very graceful and pretty animal and the presence of the herd is sure to be a big attraction to visitors and tourists traveling thru this part of the State.

A native Laplander from the Upper Peninsula is caring for the animals. Louis Mead, of this city in behalf of the State department, gives daily attention as to the progress that is being made by the animals. It is expected that there will be a large number of young fawns born within the next few weeks.

These reindeer were purchased by the State of Michigan from Norway at a cost of \$200 each, delivered in New York City.

DAIRY PRODUCTS MARKET OPENED

WILL SELL MILK AND CREAM AND MAKE BUTTER AND ICE CREAM.

The Grayling Dairy Products Market is the name of a new enterprise that has just opened business in Grayling. It is owned and managed by James McDonald, formerly of Bay City and Omer, and is located in the basement of the old Presbyterian church building. Mr. McDonald is an experienced dairyman and says that he intends to supply the city with plenty of milk, cream, butter and ice cream, and buttermilk.

This new enterprise is going to be a big help to the people of Grayling as many times it has been hard to get sufficient milk and cream to supply the demand. Besides it will give the farmers a positive market for anything they may have to sell in the way of milk and cream, and should enable some of them to put in a number of extra cows. It seems that the big success of Crawford county must come from dairy cattle. We have a nice start and with the installation of the dairy here, farmers should find this a big help.

We are sure everyone in Grayling will wish Mr. McDonald the best of success.

VISIT SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

28th, inclusive we are going to hold open house, and hereby do, through the Avalanche, issue a public invitation to come up to the school house and see the work in actual operation. We are sure that every person in Grayling is interested in the education of its young people and in the Every one some time during his or her school days has heard the song, "Why don't Parents Visit the School."

During the week of April 24th, to methods used.

Parents come up to the school, get acquainted with your boy or girl's teacher, see how the work is carried on and I am sure that you will be well repaid for your effort. You are well come to come any time during the day.

B. E. Smith,
Supt. of Schools.

MRS. LUCY ROBINSON PIONEER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Came to Grayling when place was a Wilderness.

At 3:30 o'clock last Thursday afternoon, occurred the death of Mrs. Lucy Robinson, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Reagan, following an illness of four weeks' duration. The passing of Mrs. Robinson marks the death of Grayling's earliest living pioneer, having come to this county 46 years ago, when Grayling was a wilderness and the first comers, both women and men, worked to clear the land and build a home to live in. During her life this lady has been able to relate some very interesting things of the early life of Grayling and the hardships and trials endured by the people of those days. The death of Mrs. Robinson leaves Mr. Rueben S. Babbitt the oldest pioneer, he having come here soon after the Robinsons.

Lucy Christina Manshardt was born in Greenville, New York, February 23rd, 1853. When but a young girl she came to Michigan with her parents, and the family located in a farm in Chesaning. On January 1st, 1876, she was united in marriage to Charles P. Robinson and in April of that year the couple came to Grayling to make their home. Eight children were born to them, four of whom survive, Mrs. J. R. Malenfant of Cheboygan, Mrs. L. H. Johnston of Bay City, Mrs. Robert Reagan and Miss Mabel Robinson who reside in this city. Mr. Robinson died several years ago and almost since that time Mrs. Robinson has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Reagan. She united with the M. E. church 26 years ago and ever since has been active in all its affairs. She was a member of the Ladies Aid society and was active in lodge circles, belonging to the Rebekahs, the Womens Relief corps, and the Maccabees, being a charter member of the latter two orders. Mrs. Robinson led a very useful life, being of a very ambitious nature. She was dearly loved by the members of her family as well as by her friends, of the latter of which she had many. Her death was a severe shock to her family, all of whom have the sympathy of hosts of friends in their sorrow.

The funeral was held last Sunday afternoon at 2:00, with services at the Michelson Memorial Church. Rev. C. E. Doty conducted the services, and the choir rendered a number of beautiful hymns. There was a large congregation of friends present at the services and the flower-laden casket bore the high esteem in which this lady was held.

Those from out of the city, who came to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Malenfant of Cheboygan, Miss Beatrice Malenfant, Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnston, daughter Irene and son Louis of Bay City, Mrs. Austin Azeon, Chesaning, Mrs. Fred Wildermuth, Mrs. C. H. Preese and Mr. Fred Manshardt all of Owosso, Mrs. J. M. Reagan, Royal Oak, Mrs. Anna Insley, Detroit, Mrs. James Ball and Mrs. Mary Pond, Bay City.

HOTEL UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

THOS. CASSIDY, MANAGER, HAS LEASED HOSTELRY.

Dining Room Service to be Revived. Prospects Bright for Business.

It will be glad news to many at home as well as visitors who occasionally come to Grayling to learn that Shoppengauz Inn will re-open its dining room. This was at one time a very popular eating place and attracted tourists from long distances to partake of its meals. Because of the high cost of products and labor the dining room was closed a few years ago, and hundreds of dollars were lost annually by its owners, the Grayling Hotel company. Even the most generous often find that they cannot continue such heavy drains upon its finances.

For the past two years the hotel has been under the management of Thomas Cassidy. He has proved himself popular as a landlord and is well liked by the home people. He has leased the building and furnishings and May 1st will re-open the dining room. Meals will be served under American and European plans. Also a lunch counter will be provided for the man or woman who may be in a special hurry.

A first class hotel is one of the best assets of any city, and the home people are always glad to say with pride that "our town has a first class hotel, modern in every particular." Such is the case in Grayling. Shoppengauz Inn is the finest hotel along the Mackinaw branch of Michigan. It is certain to again become a popular place to stop and for meals. However it must be remembered by the home people that such an institution needs the united patronage of all in order to make it a success. Miss Cassidy promises that she is going to do his part and try and cater to the public generally, and that if it is but a cup of coffee that is wanted that they will be ready to serve it; and if a meal or banquet is desired, that will be forth coming, delicious and on time.

The dining room will be open continuously all day. Between the hours of 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. there will be a regular luncheon served. Regular dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7 p. m.

New equipment is being installed in preparation to take care of the dining service. A door will be cut thru from Norway street making an outside entrance to the dining room. With these changes Shoppengauz Inn will be a hotel that is complete and first class in every way—fine, clean, rooms; hot and cold water in all rooms and baths in nearly all rooms, and a service that cannot be excelled in any town in Michigan in cities of less than 5000 population.

THE MERRY TRAVELERS

BIG PRODUCTION TO BE GIVEN BY LOCAL TALENT UNDER AUSPICES OF LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL, AND GOOD FELLOWSHIP CLUB.

The Merry Travelers, one of the most elaborate musical comedies ever staged in Grayling will be seen in the high school auditorium the 4th and 5th of May.

Arrangements are now being made for selection of cast and choruses. The production is clever, rich in comedy, and full of striking musical numbers. The lighting effects are especially beautiful. One hundred local people will take part.

A professional instructor will have charge of rehearsals and stage production. The committee are most enthusiastic regarding the outlook, and feel confident that the coming event will be the biggest success of the season's shows in Grayling.

T. N. T.

AN EXPLOSION OF PEDIGREE TRUTH.

(Notes of the Grayling Schools)

This has been a week of exams. It made one feel like saying—But they're over now, and we all know how we stand. Some have passed, some outclassed, but we have found just how we stand through that hard exam.

The program that was given Friday by the third and fourth grades, under the supervision of Miss Mox was certainly good, and we are sure that it was enjoyed by everyone who saw it.

Miss Gideon and Miss Estabrook were guests at the home of Supt. and Mrs. B. E. Smith.

The class honors for the Senior class have been given out and Ruth McCullough is valedictorian and Beatrice Austin second.

Mrs. Reynolds, who is going to train the cast for the Comedy soon to be held, will be here Monday.

Miss Kathleen Parr, who taught school here last year was up to visit the school Friday. She also spent several days visiting friends in Grayling.

Rev. Doty and Dr. Dystant attended the program Friday.

Everyone has been very busy this week with exams. (The teachers as well as the pupils.)

The sixth grade had a "peanut hunt" Friday. They also presented Miss Boody with two plants—Daffodils and Hyacinths for Easter.

The second and third grade had a party last Friday.

TIT-BITS.

"Money will buy cars, jewelry I know not what. But it won't buy happiness, that I know by some is sought."

Ambitions of:

Fern Hum is to grow tall. Almer Smith to become a catcher on the big league.

Lytle Bennett to be a full-back on a football team.

George Miller to own a car.

Lucinda to become an actress.

Kristine to get A in American Lit.

Edward Gierke to take Claribel to the J. Hop.

"I like the girls, and I like 'em sweet."

The girls like me, and like me to treat."

Emerson (B.)

Mrs. Gibbons: "You have failed in Geography again."

Ivan Cameron: "N'om you only ast me did I know the capital of Minnesota an' I said I didn't, which was true."

She—"I'd so like to wear the engagement ring at the party, dear. Can you get it on time?"

He—"Impossible, darling. The jeweler says I must pay cash down."

Too many drawing room smiles deteriorate into kitchen frowns.

Overheard—"I can remember when a man had to see the doctor after drinking liquor instead of seeing him before drinking it."

A man's height in the social world is estimated by the length of his purse.

"I don't like these photographs at all," he said. "I look like an ape."

With a glance of lofty disdain the photographer replied as he turned back to work: "You should have thought of that before you had them taken."

Dancing Master—"You must watch your feet to learn these new steps."

Edgar McPhee—"Oh, don't mind the steps, just teach me the new holds."

Fortunately for the average man, brains are not on exhibition.

End.

APPRECIATION.

If it had not been for the following organizations the Fathers and Sons banquet, that took place Tuesday evening would not have been the grand success that it was: Eastern Star Chapter, Rebekahs, Maccabees, St. Mary's Altar society, W. B. A. O. T. M., Womens Relief corps, Ladies National League, Hospital Aid society, Danish Ladies Aid society, M. E. Ladies Aid society and Good Fellowship club. We wish to thank these organizations for their fine co-operation, and also Schram's orchestra for the fine music they rendered during the evening.

The Womens Club

AUTO OWNERS NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Grayling Automobile Club, Monday night, April 24 at 8:00 o'clock, at the Board of Trade rooms. All auto owners and others interested are invited to be present.

Tony Nelson, Secy.

FARMERS, ATTENTION.

Anyone wanting Paris Green, may get same by leaving their order with John Brockman, Grayling, on or before May 6th. The price will be 28 1/2 cents per pound in five pound lots. 4-20-1

CARD OF THANKS.

We hereby extend our thanks and assure our appreciation for the assistance given us at the time our home burned, Sunday morning. Our household effects were saved, due to the timely and energetic aid given. Andrew Brown and Family.

Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural Agent

Snow Dollars.

Some times we are nearer good things and blessings than we realize. The very commonness of some things makes us forgetful of their value in our lives.

"We never miss the water till the well runs dry."

This blessing, about which I shall say a few words, is none other than just water.

The deep snow, that stayed with us so long, and made us so much trouble, has gone. It has done the country far more good than harm. It has paid its way. Like a rich old uncle who comes, stays only a day or two, and leaves a check for a hundred dollars; so, the departing snow has left a trail of dollars scattered all over the farm, if we will only recognize them and pick them up.

A Check for \$100.

The following lines can be easily made worth one hundred dollars to any one who is farming in Crawford County. Anyone who will patiently read each statement, and honestly put these suggestions into practice, can increase the yield of the farm by that amount; for my observation has been that these principles are not fully practiced on many farms in this county.

Tons of It.

After I learned what is stated in the next six lines I became a different farmer.

Tons of water necessary to produce a ton of dry matter in:

Dent Corn—300.8 tons

Flint Corn—233.9 tons.

Red Clover—452.8 tons.

Barley—392.9 tons.

Oats—522.4 tons.

Potatoes—422.7 tons.

Think of the incredible amount of water that must be drawn out of the earth, and evaporated by the plant to produce a ton of dry matter!

Tons of water! Think of it! These figures are as true on your farm as anywhere else. The corn, oats, or potatoes must, simply must, have that much water before they will grow a ton of dry matter of corn, oats or potatoes. A ton of water is a lot of water. Roughly speaking, it is a thresher tank full. Imagine 522 tons lined up, hitched to thresher tanks, or to sprinklers like that used on streets of Grayling, to produce a ton of oats!

Don't deceive yourself by saying: "Aw, well, what's the use of getting scared? That's just some of that book farming stuff he puts in to fill up. Think he has got to say something of course. All farming needs is hard work and common sense."

The statement about amount of water needed is a universal truth. It's true on your farm and mine.

Water Is the Limiting Factor.

If an engine and train stood on the track, and could not move because there was no fuel with which to get up steam, we would say that fuel is the limiting factor.

Water is the limiting factor with us farmers around here.

Valuable Experiment.

In one place a certain piece of ground raised a little over four tons of dry matter per acre. On an exactly similar piece water was run on thru a big hose, all the soil could use. That piece raised over fourteen tons per acre. Surely, water is the limiting factor.

Where the Water Comes From.

In many of our seasons here, the crop probably grows more by the water drawn up from the earth below

than from the rain above.

The water is there in the earth, for us. It was put there by the deep winter snows, and fall, winter and spring rains. It rises gradually to near the surface, in reach of plant roots, by a process called capillarity—the same process that causes oil to go up a lamp wick to feed the blaze.

But We Waste It.

The water was there, in the soil, to grow our crops, all right, but, we waste it. How's that? We do not check evaporation quickly enough and often enough.

Soak a bed quilt or horse blanket until it is so heavy you can hardly lift it. Hang it out, on a bright, breezy spring day. Soon the blanket or quilt is bone dry. The water has evaporated. So it evaporates rapidly from the earth. King, the great soil investigator, states that this loss may be more than 20 tons a day per acre. Spurred, at Michigan Agricultural College, stated that one acre of sandy loam soil had been known to lose 741.5 tons of water in 100 days where there was no dust mulch; but, that keeping a 3-inch mulch with disc, drag, or cultivator reduced that to 287.5 tons.

Picking Up Snow Dollars.

Why not go out and pick up some snow dollars? This is the way to do it. The very first day your soil is dry enough, go out and begin to disc or drag fall plowing, old corn ground,

old potato ground—everything including sod you are going to break up.

Probably you say: "Why man, I've got to get my oats in." Keep right on discing or dragging, until you have gone over all land you are going to crop. Then, come back to oat ground and put them in. Then go over again, with disc or drag, all you went over before; for water is saved by the mulch, loose soil, on top, and these mulches have to be renewed every week, and more often than that if it rains and hardens the surface. Then put in corn. Then mulch the rest of the farm again.

Water Lost in Plowing.

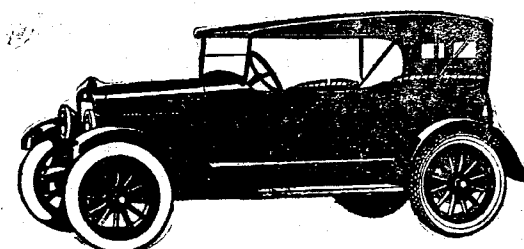
King plowed a piece of ground, waited seven days; plowed another piece just ten feet from the first, and found that the second piece had lost 198 tons of water per acre in those seven days!

Early spring plowing saves moisture.

If it is common for 20 tons of water to escape per day by evaporation, that water should be saved, while plowing, by dragging each day what was plowed that day. You get the field ready for the seed just as soon, it's got to be dragged some time, hasn't it? Drag it at the right time and save the water vitally necessary to grow the crop. Pick up some snow dollars.

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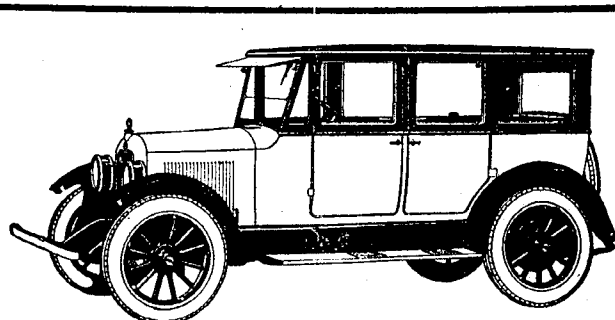
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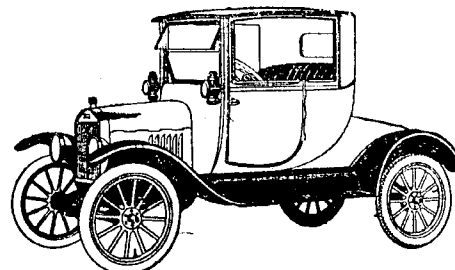
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The Girl, a Horse and a Dog

By FRANCIS LYNDE

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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued

Now the presence of a wagon on our bench at this early hour in the morning might mean either one of two diametrically opposite things: Our deliverance; or the upcoming of reinforcements for the raiders. We were not left long in doubt. Shortly after the lack-rack of the wagon wheels stopped we heard footsteps, and the hair stiffened on Barney's back. Next we heard Bullerton's voice, just outside and apparently under our window openings.

"Broughton!" the voice called: "can you hear me?"

"So well that you'd better keep out of range!" I snapped back.

"All right—listen. You've got to get out, Broughton—that's flat. I haven't wanted to go to extremes. For perfectly obvious and commonplace reasons I don't want to have to kill you to get rid of you. But we are not going to gentle you any more. You've already hurt four of my men and two of the four are crippled. The next time we hit you, it'll be for a finish."

"Yes," said I. "You brought the new club up in a wagon, didn't you?"

"He ignored this."

"We could starve you out if we chose to take the time. I know pretty well what you've got to eat—or rather what you haven't got. It's your privilege to take your life in your own hands, Broughton; that's up to you. But how about the old man?"

"The old man's a plenty good and able to speak for himself!" yelled Daddy. "You do your darndest, Charley Bullerton!"

"All right, once more. You'll hear from us directly, now; and as I said before, we've quit gentling you. That's my last word."

For a time after this the silence, and the darkness, since it was the hour before dawn, were thick enough to be cut with an ax. But the dog was more restless than ever, and we knew that something we could neither see nor hear must be going on. After a while I asked the question that had been worrying me ever since I had heard the wagon wheels.

"What did they bring up in that wagon, Daddy—a Gatling?"

"The Lord only knows, Stannie—and he won't tell," was the old prospector's reply, made with no touch of irreverence; and the words were scarcely out of his mouth before a thunderbolt struck the shaft-house.

CHAPTER XVII.

Tit for Tat.

That word "thunderbolt" is hardly a figure of speech. The thing that hit us couldn't be compared to anything milder than thunder and lightning. There was a flash, a roaring, rippling roar as if the solid earth were splitting in two, and the air was filled with flying fragments and splinters. Air, I say, but the acrid, choking gas which filled the shaft-house could scarcely be called air.

"Dynamite—that's what they fetched in that wagon!" gasped the old man at my side, and I could have shouted for joy at the mere sound of his voice, since it was an assurance that he hadn't been killed outright.

"It's only a question of a little time, now, Daddy," I prophesied. "What you said yesterday—that Bullerton would try to get possession without destroying the property—no longer holds good. He has evidently decided that we've got to be ousted, even at the expense of building a new shaft-house and installing new machinery. Why has he changed his mind, when he knows that he could starve us out in a few days?"

"I've been thinkin' about that, right p'intedly, Stannie. Shouldn't wonder if somethin' in the wind—somethin' we don't know about."

"Then there's another thing," I put in. "Supposing, just for the sake of argument, that our first guess was right; that he did take Jennie to Angels three days ago and that they were married there. You know your daughter, Daddy, and I know her, a little. Nobody but an idiot would suppose that she'd live with Bullerton as his wife for a single minute if he makes himself your murderer."

"It sure does look that-away to a man up a tree," admitted the stout old fighter.

"I'm hanging on to the little hope like a dog to a root, Daddy," I confessed. "If I can only keep on believing that they're not married, I can put up a better fight, or be snuffed out—if I have to be—with a good few less heart-burnings."

But at this the old man, who, no longer ago than the yesterday, had seemed to lean definitely toward the no-marriage hypothesis, suddenly changed front.

"Don't you go to bawkin' on anything like that, Stannie, son," he said in a tone of deep discouragement. "Charley Bullerton's a liar, from the place where they make liars for a livin', and 'tain't goin' to be no trick a-tall for him to make Jennie, and a lot o' other folks, b'lieve that we bowed ourselves up with our own dynamite. No, sir; don't you go to bawkin' on that."

"Then you do believe that Jennie went with Bullerton?"

"Looks like there ain't nothing else left to believe," he asserted dolefully. "Look at it for yourself, son: she's been gone three whole days. If she hadn't gone with him—and the good Lord only knows where else she could have gone—don't you reckon she'd've been back here long afore this? No, Stannie; we been lettin' the 'wish' it was run away with the 'had to be!' I reckon we just got to grit our teeth, son, and tough it out the best we can."

During this waiting interval, which

seemed like hours and was probably only a few minutes, we were momentarily expecting another crash. It did not come; but in due course of time we heard a stir outside and then voices, and one of the voices, which was not Bullerton's said: "I'll bet that ca'tridge smoked 'em out good an' plenty, cap'n. Gimme th' ax, Tom, till we bust open the door an' have a squint at 'em."

Just at that moment a submerging wave of depression surged over me and shoved me down so deep that I think possibly if Bullerton had called out and demanded our surrender I should have been tempted to tell him that I was not so much of a hog as not to know when I had enough. But the old man squeezed in beside me under the arched boiler plate was made of better fiber; he was game to the last hair in his beard. With a wild-hullian yell, he hunched his Winchester into position and fired once, twice, thrice, at the door, as rapidly as he could pump the reloading lever.

A spattering fusillade was the reply to this, but the aim was bad and the only result was to set the air of our prison fortress to buzzing as if a swarm of angry bees had been turned loose on us. After this, the raiders withdrew, so we judged; at all events, the silence of the dark hour before daybreak shut down upon us again, and once more we had space in which to "gather our minds," as Daddy put it.

It may be a dastardly confession of weakness to admit it, but I am free to say that the prolonged struggle was gradually undermining my nerve. If Bullerton had made up his mind to write off the loss of the mine buildings and machinery, it was a battle lost for us. It could be only a question of a little time, and enough daylight to enable the bombers to throw straight, until we should be buried in the wreck of the shaft-house and hoist—and without the privilege of dying in a good, old-fashioned, stand-up fight.

All of this I hastily pointed out to Daddy Hiram, adding that, for Jennie's sake, if for no better reason, he ought to take his chance of staying upon earth. As long as I live I shall always have a high respect for the wrath of a mild-mannered man. The old prospector was fairly Berserk, mad, foaming at the mouth, and short of dragging him out by main strength there was no way of making him let go.

"No, sir; I done promised your gran'paw 'at I'd stand by for him, and he paid me money for doin' it. When them hellions get this here mine, they're goin' to dig a hole somewehrs and bury me afterward," was all I could get out of him.

We were not given very much more time for discussion, or for anything else. The first faint gray dawn was coming, and with the partial lighting of the inner gloom, we craned our necks—like a double-headed turtle peering out of its shell—and got a glimpse of the damage done by the initial thunderbolt. We saw it without any trouble: a great hole torn in the sheet-iron roof directly over the hoist and shaft mouth. Knowing the size and effect of explosives pretty well, Daddy said that the bomb had gone off prematurely; had exploded before it had fairly lighted upon the roof.

"If it hadn't—if it had been layin' on the roof when it went off, we wouldn't be lookin' up at that hole now!"

"That there's old Ike Beasley—dad-blame his old hide!" he chattered. "There ain't nary 'other man in the 'Timanyons' no can cuss like that. He's come with a posse, and they're layin' out Charley Bullerton's crowd!"

There was a fine little tableau spreading itself out for us when we had clambered over the wreckage and had withdrawn the wooden bar and flung the door wide. Daddy Hiram had called the turn and named the trump. The large, desperado-like look-

ing man who had once interviewed me at Angels, and a little later had paused in his combing of the mountains in search of me to usurp my place at the 'Timanyons' breakfast table, this bewhiskered giant, with a goodish bunch of followers—hard-boiled to a man, they looked to be—had surrounded a fair half of the would-be "jumpers" and were handcuffing them with a celerity that was truly admirable. And Beasley, himself, square-jawed and peremptory, was shoving Bullerton up against the side of the shaft-house, snapping the irons upon his wrists and counseling him, with choice epithets intermingled, to save up his troubles and tell them to the judge.

As we emerged from our wrecked fortress, other members of the posse were scattering to round up the outlying bomb-throwers, who had apparently taken to the tall timber in a panic-stricken effort to escape. Down on the bench below there were horses and horse-holders; and among the horses one whose boyish-looking rider was just slipping from the saddle. While I was wondering vaguely why the Angels town marshal had let a mere boy come along on such a battle errand, the boyish figure ran up the road and darted in among us to fling itself into Daddy Hiram's arms, gurgling and half-crying and begging to be told if he was hurt.

I didn't know at the time how much or how little the big marshal knew of the various and muddled involvements which were climaxing right there in the early morning sunshine on the old Cinnabar bend; but I do know that he quickly turned his captures over to some of his deputies and had them promptly hustled down stage and off scene. While this was going on I was merely waiting for my cue, and I got it, or thought I got it when the boy who wasn't a boy slipped from Daddy's arms and faced me.

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The look she gave me was just plain deadly; you wouldn't think that violet-blue eyes could do it, but they can. Then she drew a folded paper from somewhere inside of her clothes and held it out to me.

"There is the deed to your mine, Mr. Broughton," she said nippingly, and with a fairly tragical emphasis on the courtesy title. "You wouldn't take the trouble to go to Copiah and get it recorded, so I thought I'd better do it. I hope you'll pardon me for being so forward and meddlesome."

It was the super-climax of the entire Arabian-Nights business, and because my feelings would no longer be denied their rightful fling, I sat down on the shaft-house doorstep and shouted and laughed like a fool. But after all, it was Mr. Isaac Beasley, deputy sheriff and marshal of Angels, who put the weather-vane, so to speak, upon the fantastic structure.

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CHAPTER XVIII.

The Hold-Up.

Beasley left me sitting on the doorstep—I've a notion he had run out of handcuffs, else he might have clapped a pair of them on me—while he started his posse down to Angels with the captured raiders and their leader. When he came back we took time, Daddy and I and the big marshal, to size up the damage that had been wrought, and beyond that, to dig into the mystery of the continuous grumbling roar which was still ascending

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FATHERS AND SONS BANQUET

FINE BODY OF MEN AND BOYS
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Col. Gansser Gave Fine Address.
Boy Scout Council Organized.

One of the finest gatherings ever held in Grayling was that of the Fathers and Sons banquet that was given in the banquet room of the Michelson Memorial church last Tuesday. Two hundred and seventy men and boys sat down to a fine dinner at about 5:30 o'clock. This was given by the Womens club, assisted by the ladies of most of our other civic and fraternal ladies organizations of the city.

This was the largest gathering that had ever sat down to a dinner in this popular banquet room. Those who did not have sons of their own were provided with a boy and every one seemed to enjoy the privilege immensely. There were some dads and some sons who had probably not spent a social affair together in many years. And the fellow who was deprived of being present with a son of his own, delighted in the companionship of the son of some other man. The dinner was specially appetizing and delightfully served by young ladies.

Invocation was offered by Fr. Bosler. During the dinner music was furnished by Schram's orchestra and their selections were liberally applauded. Their services were given free for the occasion.

At the speakers table were seated among others the members of the local Boy Scout council, and the toasts and addresses made were such as would apply to the boy scouts and in appreciation of the young boys of Grayling. Many good points were brot out by the speakers. Marius Hanson was the toastmaster of the evening and he introduced in turn the following: Rasmus Hanson, Supt. B. E. Smith, Rev. Fr. Bosler, Phillip G. Zalsman, Rev. Doty, A. W. Morrow, Floyd Taylor, Melvin A. Bates, O. P. Schumann, E. A. Mason, Thomas Cassidy and R. D. Bailey.

During the speaking program Edwin Morfit, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Morfit, got up onto a chair and recited a selection about a boy whose father wouldn't let him have any fun and always punished him when he had low standings in his studies. He was a mean old dad, and not the kind the Grayling boys have. Edwin did his part well and deserved the applause he received.

The principal address of the evening was given by Col. Augustus H. Gansser of Bay City, whom the toastmaster introduced as the "man who won the war."

Col. Gansser is well known in Grayling. He used to bring up his base ball team from his home town to play Grayling every season, and occasionally would win a game. Later he spent many weeks in training at the Hanson State Military Camp, thus he is quite at home when he arrives in the "Only Town on the Map."

He had a lot of fine things to tell the men and boys of Grayling. He kept his audience smiling most of the time by his witty remarks, many of which were at the expense of some of our local boys who had been with him in Flanders field. He was strong in his praise of the American boy and claimed that he was more chivalrous than the knights of old, attributing his kindness and courtesy to the mothers and fathers of our land. He said he considered Grayling a wonderful city, and that it was up to the boys to so conduct their lives that they may become a credit to their fathers and mothers. The simple life of the grandfathers was shown in comparison with the present day life, in which the "river" of the aeroplane, the radio and fast trains play an important part.

He told of many incidents in regard to the World war, and how that America was able to accomplish so much because she was mentally strong. He said that America stands ninth among the nations in education and that Denmark was first.

"The boys of today have a wonderful world to thrive in and live in, but the devil has much to do for idle hands." The boy scout movement, said the Colonel, has come to make our boys the best men possible. To be a boy scout is not to be a misfit. He cited the responsibility of the fathers of today and that America of tomorrow will be in accordance with their success today. He said that his life was consecrated first to the American legion and second to the Boy Scouts.

At the close of Col. Gansser's address, the boy scouts and those who had been boy scouts arose and gave him the scout salute.

After the close of the banquet program the members of the scout council met in the Sunday School room where they completed their organization. The following executive committee was elected: B. E. Smith, Fr. Bosler, P. G. Zalsman, E. A. Mason, Thos. Cassidy, M. Hanson, George Sorenson, M. A. Bates, R. D. Bailey and O. P. Schumann.

President, Marius Hanson.

Secretary, B. E. Smith.

Treasurer, E. A. Mason.

LOCAL NEWS

Carl Johnson is driving a new Essex Touring car.

Dr. D. M. Howell was in Niles on business Tuesday.

Miss Angela Amborski spent Easter Sunday at her home in Gaylord.

Special services were held in all of the local churches last Sunday—Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zeder and son Jack returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Bay City.

Mr. Herbert Smith of Milford arrived Saturday to be the guest of Miss Iva Granger over Easter.

Miss Agnes Mayo of Bay City enjoyed Easter at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn of Bay City were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrals over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hilton spent Sunday in Gaylord, guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Van Doran.

Gordon Davidson of Bay City was in the city over Easter visiting his family, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davidson.

Supper at the Michelson Memorial church, Wednesday, April 26. Everybody come. Adults 50c, children 25c. 5:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson and children of Johannesburg were guests of Mrs. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson over Easter.

Miss Kathleen Parr of Dearborn was in Grayling over Easter, a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson. Miss Parr is teaching in Hamtramck this year.

Mrs. F. J. Spencer of Lovells calls your attention to her advertisement on another page of this paper. The seeds are home grown, and anyone wishing such seeds may write her.

Mrs. Mary Pond of Bay City, who came Saturday to attend the funeral of her old friend, Mrs. Lucy Robinson, expects to remain in Grayling for a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and old friends.

Watch for the demonstration of the Kohler Automatic lighting system at the Deekrow Plumbing shop next week. This should interest anyone interested in a lighting or power plant. Come in and see it—all next week.

Mrs. Delevan Smith enjoyed a visit last week from her grandchildren, Jerald, Elizabeth and Bernice Smith of Bay City, who spent the spring vacation here. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith. Miss Cora Hendricks of Kalkaska was also a guest at the Smith home, over Easter.

Two teaspoonsful of Tanlac in a little water taken three times a day just before meals will make you eat better, feel better, sleep better and work better. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

Mrs. Jesse Bondy was in Gaylord Saturday.

Mrs. A. Kraus visited relatives in Saginaw over Easter.

Charles Fehr left Tuesday night on a business trip to Flint.

Dr. aid Mrs. Klyport returned home from Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. C. M. Hewitt returned Wednesday from a visit in Bay City.

Mrs. E. W. Brudy of Kingsley is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Pond. Charles Blanchard a business man of Roscommon is ill at Mercy hospital.

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Friday evening, regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps of the American Legion, at G. A. R. hall, 7:30.

Schram's Ramblers are playing for a dancing party to be given by the Colonial Dancing club in Roscommon tonight.

The regular meeting of Legion Post 106 will be held next Monday evening at Temple theatre. Everybody out.

There will be a special meeting of the Women's Relief Corps at the G. A. R. hall tomorrow afternoon. Members please be present.

Coffees, teas, canned goods and other staple groceries at cost at the Railroad store, beginning at 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

Messrs Axel Jorgenson, Loyal Cameron and John Bondy left Saturday night for Detroit, where they expect to find employment.

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Protection and investment combined are guaranteed by the old reliable Michigan Mutual. Ask Reel to explain it to you. Phone 662.

Clark's orchestra will go to Gaylord this afternoon to play for the Knights of Pythias ball that is to be given this evening in that city.

It is reported that Benjamin Sherman suffered a stroke of paralysis at his home in Forest Tuesday. He is in a very serious condition.

Miss Iva Rosevear returned to West Branch Saturday after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. E. S. Houghton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Jorgenson of Detroit are guests of Mr. Jorgenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson, arriving Saturday in time for Easter.

Mayor Canfield spent Sunday and the forepart of the week in Gladwin where Mrs. Canfield was visiting her parents. They returned home Wednesday.

The small house belonging to Holger F. Peterson on Peninsular avenue has been purchased by Fr. Bosler and Dr. Keyport and has been removed. The vacant place will be made into a lawn, adding much to the appearance of the homes of these two gentlemen.

Richard Jewell, basket ball player, was born Saturday evening to glad den the family of A. W. Morrow. No doubt, if he follows in the footsteps of his father, he will "make" the All City team some day, with credit to his town.

Mrs. Mabel Rogers of Red Oak brought the remains of her father, Cyrus Jarvis to Grayling Saturday to have him embalmed and prepared for burial by Sorenson Bros. The remains were taken the same afternoon to Rochester for burial.

Instead of auctioning off the groceries in the Railroad Store to some dealer at a big loss, the trustees have decided to sell the goods at wholesale cost to the people of Grayling. Here is a chance to stock up with quality goods at prices as low as the merchants have to pay for same.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Englund and children are in Bay City this week called there by the death of Mr. Englund's mother, Mrs. Caroline Englund, who passed suddenly away Saturday, after but a couple hours illness. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in that city. The lady had resided in Bay City for 40 years.

Mrs. Hans Petersen and Mrs. Ambrose McClain were hostesses this week, Tuesday night to the It Suits Us club at the home of the former.

Mrs. Charles Fehr held the highest score, Mrs. W. E. Havens the second highest, and consolations were equally divided between Mrs. Efner Matson and Mrs. P. L. Brown. The hostesses served a nice lunch.

Fire destroyed the double house belonging to Nick Schlotz, on McClellan street north of Mercy Hospital, at about 7:00 o'clock Sunday morning. The dwelling was occupied by the Andrew Brown and Charles Schreck families. When first discovered the fire was in an upstairs chamber on the Schreck side. It is believed that the building might have been partly saved had the alarm been sounded promptly. It was sent in by T. P. Peterson who says that he waited some time expecting to hear the whistle, and then again called the telephone central and was informed that she was unable to get the power house. Mr. Peterson then started in his auto for the pumping station and found that the alarm was ringing and that the engineer seemed to be unable to notice it, altho, Mr. Peterson says, he could hear it perfectly plain in the room where the engineer was at the time he got there. By that time the flames had quite a start and about the only thing that the firemen could do was to keep the flames down as much as possible in order to save adjacent buildings, which was done. Several hours after the fire department left another alarm was turned in and it was found that the debris had begun to burn again. The latter did not further damage. All concerned were protected by insurance.

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GOODFELLOWSHIP CLUB NOTES

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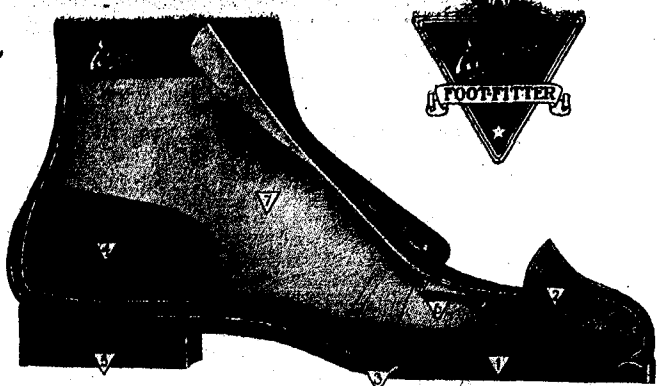
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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1922.

Don't miss the M. E. Church sup-
per, Wednesday April 26.

Mrs. F. O. Peck of Lansing is in
Grayling on business for a week or
so.

Free biscuits and coffee at Hil-
ton's, Saturday afternoon and even-
ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Trudeau have
moved into the David Kneth cottage on
the AuSable for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Graham of
Detroit are guests of Mrs. Graham's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanson.

Miss Edna Taylor was home from
Detroit over Easter visiting her
father, Oscar Taylor, and her sisters
and brothers.

Installation of officers for Gray-
ling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 has been
postponed until our next regular
meeting in May.

A son was born Saturday to Mr.
and Mrs. Traci Nelson at Mercy
Hospital. Mrs. Nelson was formerly
Miss Agnes Gendron.

Miss A. Ingeborg Hanson returned
Sunday night to Alma, where she
is employed after being the guest
Easter Saturday and Sunday of her
mother, Mrs. Hansine Hanson.

Miss Mary LaVenture and Allen
Hinkley were united in marriage
Monday night by Rev. W. H. Bodine
of the F. M. church. The young
couple will reside in Grayling.

Lots of good things to eat at the
supper given by the Ladies Aid of the
M. E. church, Wednesday, April 26.
You will be sorry if you miss it. Ask
anyone who attended the last one.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith of Gay-
lord are the happy parents of a son,
Keith Lewis born on April 10. The
mother was formerly Miss Margue-
rite Hoyt, a teacher in the local
schools.

Mrs. Orlo Shreve, who has been
ill for several months, underwent a
serious operation on April 5th at
Mercy Hospital. She is improving
very rapidly owing to the good care
and treatment she is receiving.

An unusual snow blizzard visited
this region Wednesday night and
again covered the earth with just
one more blanket of the beautiful,
apparently for fear that we might
forget how it looks. O, you snow!
Can we ever forget you?

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson are
moving this week onto some land
that they own near Houghton Lake
to remain for the summer. Mr. and
Mrs. F. J. McClain have moved into
the house they vacated on Maple
street.

About twenty ladies accepted the
invitation of Mrs. George Alexander
for Tuesday afternoon, when she en-
tertained with a bridge party. Ev-
eryone had a very enjoyable time.
Mrs. Marius Hanson held the highest
score for Bridge. Mrs. Julia Four-
nier was the guest of honor.

Gertrude Jeanne, age 11 months,
26 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Chris Hoels passed away at their
home, Monday evening at 6 o'clock
from broncho pneumonia that devel-
oped from whooping cough. The fun-
eral was held Wednesday afternoon.

Morey Abrahams, who is attending
U. of M. was a guest at the home of
his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Max
Landsberg, the part of the week. He
was home for the Spring vacation,
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Abrahams of Frederic, and
returned to Ann Arbor Sunday night.

In order that every ex-service
man who has not re-taxed his
government insurance may have an-
other opportunity to do so, the time
limit, originally December 1921, has
been extended, according to an an-
nouncement of R. K. Smith, sub-dis-
trict manager of the U. S. Veterans'
Bureau in Saginaw.

One of the benefit affairs to be
given for the Boy Scout movement
in Grayling will take place at the
temple theatre, Friday evening, Apr.
28 under the auspices of Grayling
Lodge I. O. O. F. Dancing is the
order of the evening, and supper is to
be served by the Rebekah ladies.
The bill for the dance is \$1.00, and
there will be a small extra charge for
the lunch.

Many very pleasant affairs have
been given during the week to com-
pliment Mrs. Julia Fournier of De-
troit. Among them was a tea given
by Mrs. Charles Tromble Monday af-
ternoon to about forty ladies. The
hostess was assisted in the dining
room by Mrs. Marius Hanson, Mrs.
Esbern Hanson and Mrs. A. M. Lewis.
The afternoon was delightfully pleas-
ant for those present.

The ladies of the Bridge Club and
their husbands were entertained at a
pot luck dinner Wednesday evening
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The Railroad Store having closed
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fit of it.

Sale Starts Sat.
9 A. M.

Nothing will be reserved. Every
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time for every member of the family to put on warm weather clothing. Now is the time to prepare for the
change. Listed below you will find various articles with which to replenish your sewing basket. We try to
have enough of everything but it is not always possible to foresee the big demand on certain items and for this
reason you will do well to take advantage of these low prices before the most desirable goods are sold.

In addition to sewing materials you will find various other articles which are necessary in the well ordered
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Palm Olive Soap The most popular Toilet soap made. While it lasts 3 Cakes for 23c	Sansilk The well-known Crochet and Embroidery Cotton, all colors 5c per Spool	Bias Seam Tape. Fine quality lawn in white only, sizes 2 to 8. Put up 6 yards on a piece. 10c per Piece
Child's Muslin Waists A high grade Waist in every respect. Just the thing for the warm weather. Sizes 2 to 14. 39c Each	Wire Hair Pins 200 pins, assorted sizes in a large attractive box. 8c per Box	Imperial Dress Shields A good quality in the regular shape, sizes 2 and 3 only. 19c per Pair
Needle Books Containing 40 gold-eyed Needles of various kinds and sizes. 7c per Book	Snap Fasteners Revol brand. A good quality Fastener. In black and white, all sizes. 3 Dozen for 5c	Safety Pins Gladiato brand, made of brass with a guard- ed coil. All sizes. 6c per Dozen
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The Quality Store.

Grayling, Mich.

Lost—A good deal of sleep get-
ting ready to demonstrate my Flor-
ence stoves. O. A. Hilton, Home
Furnisher.

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their last supper of the season at the
Michigan Memorial church, Wednes-
day, April 26. Come and have a
good feed.

Don't forget! Hilton's Florence
demonstration. Actual baking be-
fore your eyes by expert cook, Sat-
urday afternoon and evening.

Twin sons were born to Mr. and
Mrs. Thomas C. Green of this city
Tuesday evening. Mother and baby
are doing nicely. The family re-
cently became residents of Grayling,
coming from the northern part of
the state.

Friday night will be the annual
Junior Prom, which will be held at
the school gymnasium. The big room
has been tastefully decorated and is go-
ing to be different and prettier, the
members say than ever before. The
members of the Junior class are as
follows: Rose Cassidy, president;
Kristine Salling, vice president, Ele-
nore Schumann, secretary-treasurer,
Archie Cripps, Helen Smith, Myrtle
Smith, Edward Trudeau, Myrtle
Winslow, Maxwell Yahr, Emerson
Brown, Farnum Matson, John Phelps,
Olga Nelson, Herman Hanson, Jearid
Brenner, Russell Johnson and Ruth
Taylor.

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study, experimentation and research
by some of the world's greatest chem-
ists. Hence its merit. A. M. Lewis,

During the week of April 24th., to
28th., inclusive we are going to hold
open house, and hereby do, through
the Avalanche, issue a public invita-
tion to come up to the school house
and see the work in actual operation.
We are sure that every person in
Grayling is interested in the educa-
tion of its young people and in the
methods used.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our thanks to
the friends and neighbors who gen-
erously assisted us during our be-
reavement. Also for the beautiful
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Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hoels,
and Family.

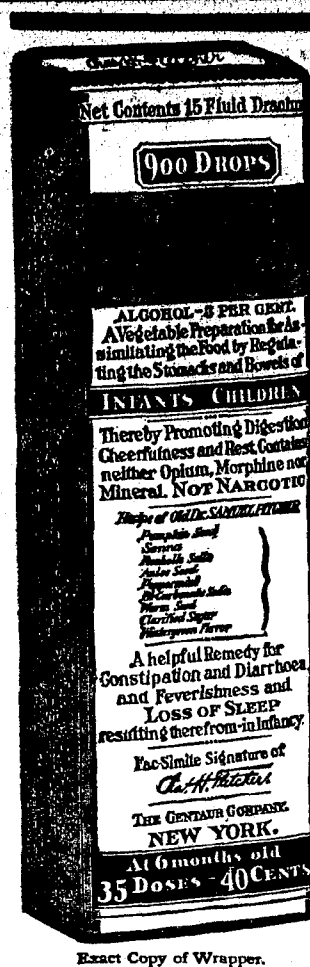
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candidate for the nomination of
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nominated and elected I assure the
people of Crawford County that the
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carried out.

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

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IN HER HUSBAND'S MEMORY

Mrs. Maude Donohue, Minnesota Newspaper Woman, to Erect Building as Memorial.

The day Mrs. Maude A. Donohue's husband enlisted she went to work on the editorial staff of the San Francisco Examiner. She is now editor and publisher of a progressive little weekly paper at Okato, Minn., trying, by keeping herself always occupied, to forget the day when she received the news that her husband had been killed in action in France.

Mrs. Donohue intends this year to erect a new newspaper building in Okato as a memorial to "My Bill," and then she intends as a "distant dream" to write a book of his life. Last year she visited her husband's grave at Romagne, where 22,000 were buried in the heart of the Argonne wood.

Probably no paper in the country gives more sympathetic treatment to the problem of the returned soldier than does the weekly at Okato. "The tragedy of war has broadened my viewpoint," says Mrs. Donohue. "There is much to be done, and I'm frank to say that I expect great things of the American Legion as an organization representing men who know what the word 'service' means."

FRENCH AWARD IS DECLINED

Legion's National Commander Accepts Honor Only in Name of Those Who Served.

Hanford MacNider is one of the negligible number of persons who declined the award of "commander of the Legion of Honor," proffered by the French government. Mr. MacNider, as national commander of the American Legion, ardently shifted the honor to the heads of a million soldiers. He said that he could receive the decoration only as a tribute to all Legionnaires—and when the medal arrives it will be deposited in the archives of the Legion.

When he received the notification of the award, he called Marshal Foch: "In the name of 5,000,000 service men and women represented by the American Legion, we extend through you to the President of the French republic our gratitude over the tribute proffered. Realizing that this is not awarded to me personally we accept it for every man and woman of our organization and in extending our deep thanks pledge to France our continued love and devotion."

Mr. MacNider was made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor on the battlefield in 1918.

AERIAL POLO IS NEW SPORT

Airplane-Toy Balloon Game One of Features at Recent Legion Entertainment in Florida.

Aerial polo is the latest sport. One of the chief features of an entertainment given by the American Legion at Miami, Fla., was a game of polo staged high in the air, sans mallets, sans ponies, sans ball, sans everything except a dozen nimble aviators and several dozen toy balloons.

Every sort of twist from the immediate turn to the maple-leaf drop is called into play during the contest. Here is what happens: A motorboat loaded with the many-colored balloons of the proverbial country fair floats out into the harbor and drops anchor. From nearby hangars come galloping a dozen Pegasuses. They take the air, and when they are equidistant from the launch, at a safe altitude, the little balloons are released and go soaring upward in great confusion on the wind.

The air rider who captures the greatest number is declared the winner. The Legion pilots who tried it said that it used to be easier catching Taubes.

Would Postpone This Expense. The dome of the proposed Victory Memorial building in Washington would be virtually a huge service flag. It would be studded with five million stars—gold for those who died, blue for those who served. The plan is to have each star engraved with the initials of the soldier it stands for, so that future visitors will be able to distinguish them, with the aid of a telescope, from the floor below. The American Legion has taken the stand that the erection of the expensive memorial should be withheld until there are fewer suffering veterans on the streets.

Ultra Proof. "Does Rambler's new wife love him?" "Does she? Why she even takes in washing to help him meet his alimony."—The American Legion Weekly.

Suffering Is Acute. Suffering is acute among former service men at Providence, R. I. The American Legion found one man who was discharged from a job because he was absent from work the day a child was born to his wife.

ARENA BATTLES FOR LEGION

Famous Castilian Matador, Ex-German Fighter, Stages Bloodless Conflicts With Angry Bulls.

To show that bull-fighting is really as simple, and as bloodless, and as refreshing as a quiet game of golf, Senor Charlot Molino, famous Castilian matador, has been staging arena battles all over the country for the benefit of the American Legion. Molino is an ex-German fighter, besides being a bull-fighter.

When he goes into the ring with his fire-breathing animal, he carries a small red cloth to make the animal froth. He carries no sword and trusts entirely to his adroit footwork to save him from embarrassment at the horns of the bull. He wears a genuine costume of red velvet trimmed with gold, valued at \$2,000.

The Legion has picked up the idea of "bloodless bull-fighting," and recently staged an encounter in the Jersey City stock yards with the matador armed with a fence picket. Although the matador had to jump the fence on several occasions in order to keep the true "bloodless" nature of the affair, he succeeded in putting on a good battle.

SKETCHES WON THE RECRUITS

Alvan Hadley, Crayon Artist, Now "Drawing" Some of the Prominent Legion Men.

Alvan C. ("Hap") Hadley, crayon expert and ex-marine, travels with a Greenwich Village troupe. He probably recruited more marines by his clever sketches, during the war, than any other individual. No one that ever looked very hard at one of his pictures ever stayed out of the marines, and no one that ever looks very hard now ever stays away from his show. He is at present busy sketching prominent members of the American Legion, outside of "hours," for publication in newspapers.

When "Hap" enlisted in the marine corps at Paris Island, a red-necked sergeant asked him what his occupation was.

"Artist," said Hap. So the sergeant put him to work white-washing garbage cans. The crowning disappointment of Hap's life is that he never ran across that sergeant again.

JOBS FOR EX-SERVICE MEN

Civic Organizations Co-Operating With American Legion to Find Work for Ex-Soldiers.

Civic organizations are co-operating with the American Legion in every city, town and hamlet throughout the country to put across the nationwide drive for employment for the 700,000 ex-service men now out of a job.

The Legion is aiming to get men into jobs by stirring up the industrial life in communities. Distribution of employment by changing men on daily shifts; pushing of engineering projects; bridge repair and county highway improvement; speeding up of municipal and public utility enterprises; woodyards, recreation centers, dredging, installation of telephones, paving; reforestation and reclamation projects; truck gardening, with the establishment of community gardens worked by ex-soldier labor; stimulating building of all kinds; encouragement of the "back-to-the-farm movement"—these and many more methods are being used to give the distressed jobless man a chance once more to do a day's work.

Carrying On With the American Legion

With mingled feelings, Legion men read that the old yellow, grunting Paris taxi-cabs—the vehicles that took Gallieni's army off to fight on the Marne, are to be replaced.

A United States marine sold the United States superdreadnaught New Mexico to a retired farmer at Long Beach, Cal., for \$100 cash. Navy officials, however, refused to deliver the ship.

An Oklahoma sheriff allowed three "killings" to take place without much opposition. Ewing C. London, commander of the Ardmore post of the American Legion, was appointed his successor.

Varying conditions existing in the different parts of the country will largely determine what proportion of service men will desire cash payment, the Legion has learned from its referendum votes.

Blind beggars sometimes have good eyesight. The American Legion has found. One "ex-soldier" with medals bought from a hock shop was caught taking \$60 an hour from New York's theater crowds.

Ex-service men have been taken on to replace non-citizen employees by a Portland, Ore., power company.

Many ex-service men who went back to "do Europe" are now stranded in the large cities. The Legion is helping them book passage "back home again."

Widows, mothers and orphans of men who died in the service during the war would receive vocational training by the terms of a bill being pressed by the American Legion.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

PERCY PORCUPINE

"I have a stronger tail than Willie Woodchuck," said Percy Porcupine, "and altogether I am a stronger animal. I have a nice blunt nose and I'm a good climber, too."

"What has a blunt nose to do with being a good climber?" asked Peter Porcupine.

"Nothing much," said Percy. "I only mention both those facts in case any one is interested. I am certainly a sensible animal."

"I would be very foolish, indeed, if I didn't wear my suit of quills. I wouldn't be able to protect myself at all. When creatures see my quills they are frightened and that is a good thing. I must frighten creatures or they might hurt me. When they see my quills sticking out they think I am a fearful looking animal."

"Ah, it is well to be protected. I am so glad that in the Porcupine world it is the fashion to wear quills. I don't know what I'd do if another fashion should come in."

"Just suppose a fashion came in of wearing silk or muslin or something equally foolish! That would be dreadful."

"Of course it would be," said Peter Porcupine, "but you needn't worry about that, for no such fashion will come in."

"No porcupine would be foolish enough to take up such a fashion if it did start, and what is more, no porcupine would be so foolish as to start such a fashion."

"If the fashion came in with other animals it wouldn't make any difference to us. And we wouldn't have to pay any attention to it. If a porcupine should start such a fashion it might be different."

"But, as I said before, no porcupine will do such a thing. We don't change our styles all the time. In fact we don't change at all."

"That is where the Porcupine family is so sensible. When we're suited, we're suited. We don't get our suits from the shops and then say after we have them home:

"Oh dear, now I wish I'd ordered that blue and green suit which was hanging next to this one."

"We never say anything like that! In the first place there are no porcupine shops and in the second place we'd never go to them if there were."

"We have too much sense for that, and we're pleased with the suits we have always worn. Why change when one is satisfied?"

"There is no sense in doing such a thing and so we don't."

"Very sensible of us," said Percy Porcupine. "Oh, I love these woods up here where people so seldom come. I don't mind people and I wouldn't hurt them, but I like to be away where it is quiet."

"I would never do for a city life. Dear me, no. Even a small town wouldn't suit me. Do you suppose I'd care to walk about the streets and wave my tail as a dog would do when he met his friends? Not much. I wouldn't do that. I would be very unpopular in a town or a city and I wouldn't be happy there at all."

"Now, a dog is quite different. They are sociable. But when they try to make friends with us we don't make friends with them."

"Perhaps I shouldn't say they try to make friends with us, for they don't. They want to chase us and we make them nervous and upset and they can't keep away from us. And then we stick our quills into them when they come near us."

"Yes, dogs had better keep away from us if they don't want to be hurt."

"We're all right by ourselves in the quiet woods where few people ever come. We don't like the woods near places where people are."

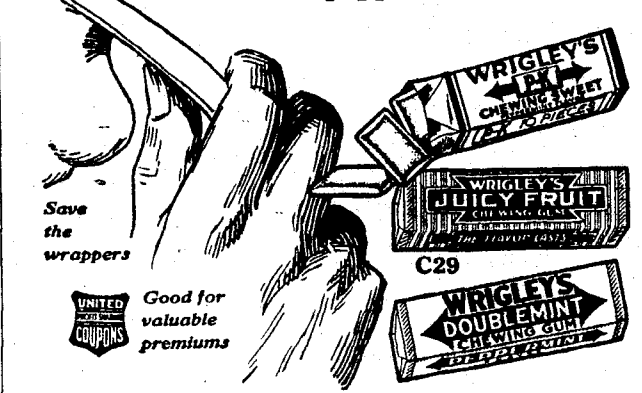
"We're quite satisfied with our own ways. That's because we're porcupines!"

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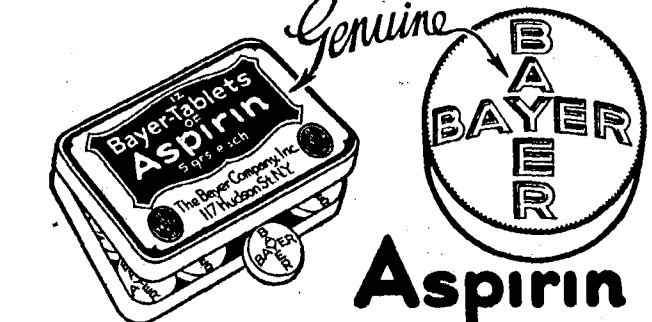
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With her hair done up in curls and her stylish lustrous long skirt draped carefully to one side, she lay resting in the outdoor hammock one quiet summer day. Suddenly startled by the creaking of the gate and the unexpected appearance of the city lad, she overturned the hammock, which became wrapped about her knees and held her long legs straight up in the air. The young man, gallantly enough, rushed to her rescue; but she never saw him again.—Chicago Tribune.

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"You're going to lose your little boy," he answered, "if you don't watch out."

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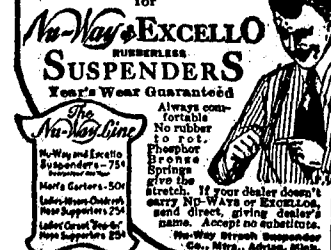
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A gift much appreciated by a housewife living in a small apartment where cooking odors are hard to conquer is an atomizer and a bottle of the best lavender water. After airing the rooms thoroughly spray once or twice with the lavender, which is not only refreshing and clean, but a real tonic for tired nerves.



W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 16-1922

Magnificent Ruins of Baalbek



The Six Pillars That Remain of the Great Temple.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

Famous ruins and historic relics have been shifted under new flags by the World War just as have places of more practical and less sentimental value. And so it happens that the magnificent ruins of Baalbek, the Heliopolis of the Graeco-Roman world and one of the greatest cities of Syria, are now under the administration of the French. French authority is the latest of many national influences to be exercised over these world-famous ruins.

Not many centuries after the Roman Empire crashed and multiple states rose in its place, the Arabs captured Baalbek. The great temple had been turned into a Christian church in the days of Constantine. Now it was in turn changed into a mosque. Tamerlane pillaged the old temple site. Later came the Turks, and it was under their regime that the Western world first learned of the stately ruins. Even German influence was exerted on the place, for under the Turks German archaeologists excavated and partially restored the temples.

The Baalbek temples are not minor ruins. Unexpectedly to most observers they take one palm from Egypt's pyramids, for in the walls at Baalbek are the largest stones ever used by man in erecting a structure—great monoliths larger than a freight car.

These ruins, properly speaking, are known as El Kalla (Citadel) and are composed of only two temples, and they do not cover a large area when compared with other ruins in Syria.

The Great Temple, or the Temple of Jupiter, as it is called, had its main entrance from the East. Here a wide flight of steps led up to the propylaeum, or vestibule, 19 feet above the gardens and orchards that now surround the ruins. This portico was open to the east the full width of the stairs, and the worshippers used to enter between rows of columns, on the bases of three of which are inscriptions stating that the temple was erected to the "great gods" of Heliopolis by Antoninus and Caracalla. At an early period the Arabs converted these temples into a fortress, and to a certain extent remodeled them. The columns mentioned were removed, the staircase taken up, and the material used to construct a solid wall where the columns had been.

Arabs Blocked This Entrance.
Nest came the hexagonal forecourt, entrance into which was made by means of a central doorway, with a smaller one on each side. This small court was surrounded by a colonnade, and on four of the six sides by exedrae, porticoes with stone seats. The Arabs have also blocked this three-fold entrance and converted the exedrae into fortifications, filling them with brick masonry.

After the visit of the former German emperor to these ruins, in 1898, a body of German excavators was sent to Baalbek, and worked there from 1901 to 1904. They not only dug down and removed the debris, but strengthened weak parts, and, where necessary, they removed the Arabic work so as to make the original plan more easily comprehensible to the visitor.

The workmen built a narrow staircase where the broad old one used to be, tore away the wall constructed over the bases of the columns, and opened an entrance through a great block of stone which was placed across the central doorway into the forecourt, so that today visitors enter as did the Roman worshippers of old.

Proceeding inward one passes through a triple entrance into the great court, or court of the altar. It is about 440 feet long by 370 feet wide. The central portal, as well as one of the smaller side ones, has fallen in, and the pieces which formed the arches have been collected and laid together on the ground below the place where they had originally been.

Around this court, on three sides, omitting the west end, where a staircase led up to the level of the Great Temple, are square and semicircular exedrae, each of which contain many handsome niches for statues, of which.

Unfortunately, not a single example remains.

When these temples were taken possession of by the Christians, a church was erected over this altar, part of which was destroyed and then the space leveled up with the earth so that the church floor was above the top of the altar; so, also, the lower part of the staircase was filled over, while the upper part was removed to accommodate the apses.

Attributed to Theodosius.

The construction of this basilica is attributed to Theodosius, Roman emperor of the East, who reigned towards the end of the Fourth century of our era. The Great temple was demolished to furnish materials for the construction of this church.

The Great Temple itself has been almost entirely destroyed. All that is left are six columns of the peristyle, still standing in their original places, capped with Corinthian capitals and joined by ornate and massive entablature. These lofty pillars do not taper as they appear to do when seen from below. They are over 60 feet high and 7½ feet in diameter and are each composed of three drums.

One can perhaps best mentally reconstruct the Great Temple by an inspection of the smaller one, dedicated to Bacchus, which lies to the southeast of the Great Temple, entirely independent of it and on a lower level.

The walls of the main enclosure or cella, which is oblong, are quite plain on the outside and are built of carefully dressed stone, the joints so perfect that a knife-blade cannot enter between. Around this at a distance of 10 feet runs on the two sides and ends a row of smooth columns which forms the peristyle.

These, including their capitals, are about 52 feet high and are surmounted by a magnificent entablature. This entablature is connected with the walls of the cella by enormous slabs of stone, which are elaborately carved with the heads of emperors, deities, and interwoven with floral designs, forming an exquisite ceiling.

The door posts are elegantly carved with figures of Bacchus, fauns, cupids, satyrs and bacchantes, woven around which are grape vines and clusters of fruit, also poppies and ears of wheat, all of which are symbolical of the attributes of the reveling god to whom the temple is dedicated.

Great Doorway 43 Feet High.
This great doorway, which dwarfs the human figure, stands 43 feet high and 21½ feet wide, while the carving of the posts just mentioned covers a space about 6 feet wide. On both sides of this door stand graceful fluted columns, forming the prostyle or portico, while the plain ones of the peristyle, which stand behind them, seem to reflect their beauty.

The decorations of the walls of the interior of this temple resemble the carvings of the exedrae of the great court, having two rows of niches for statues one above the other and divided perpendicularly from each other by engaged fluted columns.

As already mentioned, these temples stood on a raised platform resting on substructures. The great temple lies 44½ feet above the level of the plain and is the highest part of the entire enclosure, while the great court was only 23 feet lower.

An inclosing wall, the mammoth stones of which have been the marvel of engineers for ages, deserves mention. The lowest courses are built of stones of moderate dimensions, but which grow rapidly in size until we come to a row of three enormous stones, the shortest being 63 feet and the longest 65 in length, and each being about 13 feet high and 10 feet thick. The course of which they form part is some 20 feet above the surface of the ground.

They are the largest building blocks ever known to have been used by man; and a still larger one lies in the ancient nearby quarry, never having been detached from the rock beneath. This one is 70 feet long by 14 by 13 feet.

Primitive Tibet.
There are practically speaking, no police, no firemen, and no wheeled traffic in Lhasa, Tibet. The dental service, too, is rather crude. If a man suffers from a toothache he goes with a few friends on to the flat roof of his house. His friends bring a big stone, round which they fasten a string. The string is then tied to the bad tooth and the stone dropped over the roof-top. Two or three friends hold on to the patient to prevent him from going over, too.

DAIRY POINTS

HOUSE FOR SMALL DAIRYMAN

Convenient, Sanitary and Inexpensive
It Should Be Well Built
and Located.

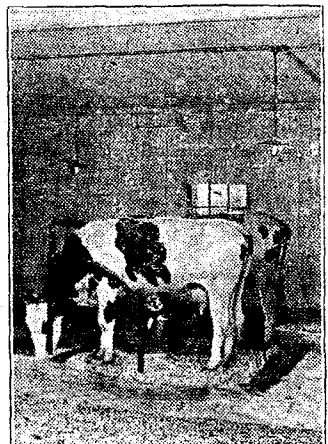
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The dairy house that will fulfill sanitary requirements, and at the same time be practical and inexpensive, has been planned by the United States Department of Agriculture. Many requests are received for information concerning the construction and arrangement of such buildings. To meet this demand the department has drawn up plans for dairy houses of various sizes which can be constructed economically. Copies of the plans will be sent free to those applying for them.

For a person who is striving to improve the quality of his products a practical, inexpensive type of dairy house, such as that planned by the department, is an absolute necessity. Milk that is poured or strained in the barn, or allowed to stand there, is liable to be contaminated by bacteria and to absorb stable odors. As soon as the cow's milk is drawn it should be carried to the dairy house, to be cooled immediately to 50 degrees F. or lower. An up-to-date sanitary dairy house is provided with all the facilities for cooling milk in the most economical manner.

For convenience the dairy house should be near the barn, yet so far from it that no barn odors can be detected in the house, and should be on well-drained land that slopes from the house.

The principal purpose in building a dairy house is to provide a place where dairy products may be handled apart from anything else. To carry out this idea it is necessary to divide the interior of the building so that the utensils do not have to be washed in



Interior of Model Dairy in Which Electricity Is Used.

the same room where the milk is handled. The idea of absolute cleanliness must always be kept in mind; and for this reason there should be no unnecessary ledges or rough surfaces on which dirt may lodge. Ventilators are necessary to keep the air in the milk room fresh and free from all odors, and to carry steam away from the wash room. Windows are of great importance, as they admit sunlight and fresh air, and facilitate work. In summer the doors and windows should be screened to exclude flies and other insects.

It is necessary that there be a plentiful supply of cold, running water at the dairy house. If it is not possible to have a regular water system, water may be piped from an elevated tank by an engine, wind mill, hand pump, or hydraulic ram. The dairyman can ill afford to spend his time carrying water in a pail to cool milk and wash utensils.

For the proper sterilization of utensils an abundance of steam or hot water is needed. A pail or can may appear to be clean and still may contain numerous bacteria which will hasten the souring of milk, cause bad flavor in butter and cheese, or spread contagion. After the utensils are thoroughly clean they should be either scalded with boiling water or steamed. The dairy house should be so built as to economize labor to the greatest extent. To do this the building must be arranged to avoid unnecessary steps.

The equipment of the dairy house consists of a 1½ to 2 horsepower vertical boiler which supplies steam to the sink and to the steam jet in the drain board, a galvanized-iron wash sink, a can rack, a Babcock tester, a concrete cooling tank, a milk cooler, and milk scales. A separator may also be located in the milk room. Details of the construction and arrangement of this and other dairy houses may be had by writing to the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

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Too many are conducting their dairies as a sort of a side issue when they should be making it a permanent business.

Make Machinery Do.
Make the machinery do for another season whenever possible.

WOMEN THROWING OFF YOKE

Emancipation of the Sex Has Been Making Rapid Strides Through-out Palestine.

The emancipation of women in Palestine is taking place very rapidly. Women were not very seriously regarded heretofore. They were looked upon as a bit of chattel to be given little more regard than a dog or a cat about the house. They were bought and sold to the whims of the lord and master of the domestic establishments. They dared not leave the premises without special permission of the "husband." They were not even given any work to do, but of recent years a change has come over the scene and the women under the impetus of some greater freedom have developed into able artisans.

An exhibition of the work of the women of the country was held recently at Haifa and the results were greater than were hoped for by the most ardent supporters of the enterprise. There were many beautiful specimens of pottery, weaving, embroidery and other domestic accomplishments. Women have demanded and are receiving equality in the home and are entering into a line of activities from which they have been heretofore barred.

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp.
On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your everyday toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Advertisement.

MATTER OF GREATER MOMENT

Heckler's Query Concerning the Bolsheviks Surely Should Have Had Right of Way.

President Philip T. Dodge of the International Paper company, said at a reception in New York:

"Sentimental Socialism, the doctrine of Bernard Shaw and H. G. Wells, used to be all the go, but we don't think quite so much of Sentimental Socialism today. We have found that the under dog, after all, isn't so very much better than the upper dog, and when the under dog gets on top—"

"Take the Bolsheviks, for instance. Wouldn't you rather be ruled over by President Harding or Lloyd George than by Lenin and Trotsky?"

"The Bolsheviks! A Bolshevik sympathizer was haranguing from a soap box the other afternoon."

"The Bolsheviks are our brothers," he yelled. "Our brothers our Russian brothers, are starving. Who will give them their meals?"

"Who? Interrupted a heckler, 'will give them their deserts?'"

The Ways of Women.
If a woman expects admiration for another woman, either she does not admire it, or her husband does not. The woman who bares her shoulders usually has a larger following than the woman who bares her soul. The less women care for clothes, the more clothes they wear.

In a crisis a woman will turn to a priest or a palmitist.
Many a woman who seems to want cleaning might be driven to the car where luxurious enough.

It is useless to be able to support a woman in luxury if you cannot support her on a deshabille.—From "Tallies," by Sidney Tremayne.

Through Various Ways.
The Indian maiden trends softly in her moccasins; in Holland, it is wooden shoes; in Italy they may be barefoot; in Russia they wear boots; in France you see them in high-heeled slippers; in England they appear in common-sense heels with wide toes; in America it is first one style and then another; but, bless their dear hearts, they are charming howsoever you find them!—Judge.

Attentive Listener.
"I hope you were a nice girl at the party, Dorothy, and paid attention to what was said."

"Oh, yes, mamma. I listened all the evening to one person talk."

"Who was talking?"

"I was."

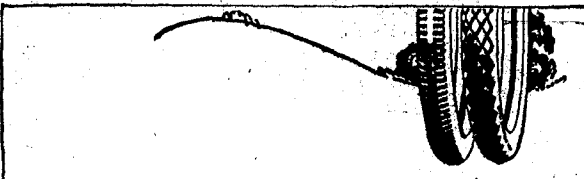
His Natural Demeanor.
"That football player seems to be wearing a helmet, but I see nothing to protect his ears."

"He's a rare bird on the gridiron."

"What's that?"

"A halfheaded halfback."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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But No One Was Unkind Enough to Question Young Matron About That Peculiar Pie.

The Woman was week-ending at the suburban home of the Young Matron. Six or eight friends were having dinner with the couple.

For some months the proud bridegroom had been singing the praises of the Young Matron's experiences in the culinary art, particularly her pie-making ability.

"My husband insisted that I make an apple pie for you people, and I do hope it will be good," she explained. "The apples were a bit green and I am so afraid I did not put enough sugar in it."

When the much-discussed pastry appeared it looked promising indeed. The crust was flaky and browned to perfection, and the bridegroom's face bore an "I-told-you-so" expression. Sinking the knife deeply in it, the Young Matron lifted out a generous piece of (how the apples had ripened!) juicy, mince pie.—Chicago Journal.

Sure Signs.
"Billy's face is quite wrinkled."
"Sign of care." "And his clothes are wrinkled, too." "Sign of don't care."

Bird Talk.
"Am I tweet?" twittered she.
"You are tweet," gurgled he.
"Tweet?"
"A fine pair of birds," commented an old bachelor who overheard.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The longest way round has its shortcomings.
The cynic is a man who says the spice of life is mostly wooden nutmeg.

The Boy Who Started to Town With a Hundred Dollars



The advice they gave him for getting on in the world was simple and familiar enough: "Keep what you have, and build on it. Be careful what you do and it will grow into more."

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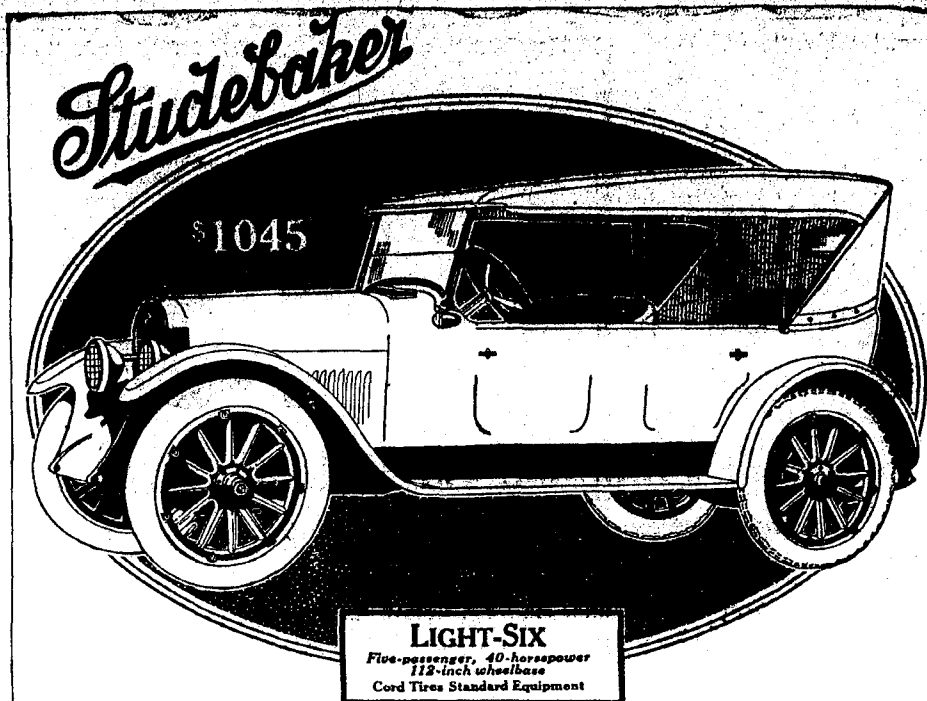
Thousands of people who think it wise to be as careful of their health as they are of their dollars are users of Postum. They find this famous cereal beverage a delightful drink with any meal, and it's free from any disturbing element.

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On account of discontinuing farming we will offer at public auction at what is known as the James Knibbs farm, 3 miles East of Frederic on

Tuesday, April 25

The following described personal property

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| 1 Cow, 12 years old, due June 25. | 10 Set of Whiffletrees, mostly new. | 1 Black Mare 10 years old weight 1200. |
| 1 Cow 7 years old due May 28. | 1 Shovel Board for wagon box. | 1 Fresh Cow 4 years old. |
| 1 Cow 5 years old due May 28. | 1 Cook Stove. | 1 Fresh Cow 4 years old. |
| 1 Cow 4 years old due June 16. | 1 Wheel Cultivator. | 1 Fresh Cow 3 years old. |
| 1 Two year old due May 13. | Several 3 Horse Hitches. | 1 Fresh Cow 2 years old. |
| 1 Two year old due in June. | Several Potato planters and Corn Planter. | 1 Cow 7 years old, due to freshen May 1st. |
| 1 Dry Cow 3 years old. | Several Pitchforks and Scythes. | 1 Cow due fresh in May. |
| 1 Deering Grain Binder. | Shovels and Grub Hoes. | 1 Cow 5 years old due fresh in May. |
| 1 Light Open Buggy. | Quantity of cleves, hooks and trace chains. | 1 Cow 4 years old due fresh in June. |
| 2 Set of Heavy Harness. | Corn Cutter and Horse collars. | 1 Harrison Wagon. |
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

State Trunk Line Road Number 18-2, Section A, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Scaled proposals will be received at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Crawford County, Grayling, Michigan, until 11:00 o'clock a. m., central standard time, Thursday, May 4, 1922, by Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, for improving 3.957 miles of road in Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The work will consist of shaping the road, constructing the necessary drainage structures and surfacing to a width of sixteen (16) feet with gravel. Plans may be examined and instructions to bidders, specifications and proposal blanks obtained at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Crawford County, Court House, Grayling, Michigan; at the District Office of the State Highway Department, Eastmont Building, Alpena, Michigan; and at the office of the State Highway Department, Lansing, Michigan. Plans will be furnished by the undersigned upon receipt of a deposit of five (\$5.00) Dollars which will be refunded upon their safe return.

A certified check in the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, made payable to Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK F. ROGERS,
State Highway Commissioner.
Lansing, Michigan,
April 7, 1922.

4-20-2.

QUOTES LAW FOR TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Lansing, Mich.
March 17, 1922.

To County Commissioners:
My dear Commissioner:

Act 302 of the Public Acts of 1921 provides in part as follows:

"In all such examinations (county teachers' examinations) two sets of questions shall be prepared in subjects ordinarily written for Saturday, one of which sets shall be available for use on Wednesday by applicants who observe Saturday as their sabbath."

The subjects written on Saturday are as follows: Algebra, Botany, General History, and Physics. Questions on these subjects for those candidates who write on Wednesday will be sent you. It will be necessary, therefore, to hold the teachers' examination on Wednesday as well as on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Only the candidates who observe Saturday as their sabbath are entitled to write the Saturday subjects on Wednesday. All other candidates must write their examination on Thursday, Friday and Saturday in accordance with the schedule furnished for the examination.

Very truly yours,
T. E. Johnson,
The teachers examination will be held in Grayling April 26, 27, 28 and 29.

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE.

The tendency of medical science is toward preventive measures. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. Pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men have to contend with, often follows a cold attack. The cold grip. The cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the pneumonia germ. The longer the cold hangs on, the greater the danger. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the first indication of a cold appears so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. It is folly to risk an attack of pneumonia when this remedy may be obtained for a trifle.

PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Mahon, Sr. deceased.
Edward S. Houghton having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to be turned over to another administrator as he has filed his resignation in said court.

It is ordered, that the first day of May, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate. 4-13-3

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ANNOUNCEMENT TO TEACHERS.

An examination will be held for teachers and prospective teachers in the Court House in Grayling, April 26, 27, 28 and 29. It is desired that all who expect to teach in Crawford County, write on the examination in Grayling. Will those who expect their certificates renewed please notify me before April 22?

John W. Payne,
Comm'r of Schools.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land hereinafter described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land:

State of Michigan,

County of Crawford } ss.

Lot 18, Block 3, Portage Lake Park.

Amount paid \$2.10, Tax for years 1902 and 1903.

Lot 19, Block 3, Portage Lake Park.

Amount paid 79 cents, Tax for year 1903.

Lots 18 and 19, Block 3, Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$5.67, Tax for years 1908 and 1917.

* Place of Business Grayling, Mich.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Sutton last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

State of Michigan,

County of Crawford } ss.

I Do Hereby Certify and Return that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the twenty-fifth day of November, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Mrs. Elizabeth Sutton, she being the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the whereabouts or the postoffice address of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such grantee, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

Ernest P. Richardson,
Sheriff of said County.

Dated December 7, 1921.

My fees 85 cents. 4-13-4.

PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Noel C. Duby, deceased.
Ernest J. Richards having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and the settlement of said estate be granted to said Ernest J. Richards or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the first day of May, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate. 4-6-3.

NOTICE.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage dated the seventh day of December, A. D. 1904, in and to the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, in Liber E of Mortgages on pages 558 and 559 on the eighth day of September, A. D. 1905 at twelve o'clock M.

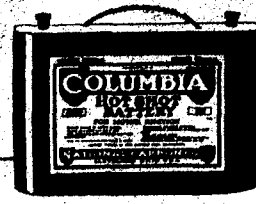
And Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Three hundred forty six and 96-100ths dollars and the further sum of fifteen dollars, as a statutory attorney fee, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Grayling in said County of Crawford, that being the place wherein is held the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, on the seventeenth day of June, A. D. 1922 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises are described as follows, to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate being in the Village of Grayling, in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Lots Five and Six of Block Eight of Hadley's Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated March 21st 1922.

Geo. L. Alexander, Marius Hanson,
Attorneys for Mortgagees. 8-23-18



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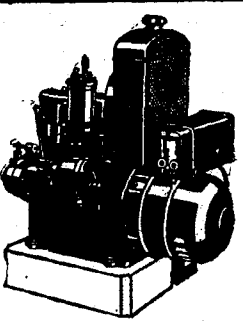
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